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Northwest Alliance.

ENTHUSIASTIC CONVENTION.

Aggressive Measures the Motto for the New Year.

The largest Temperance Convention ever held in the Northwest was held at Regina on Friday last. There were fifty delegates present from many points throughout the Territories, the gathering being a thoroughly representative one. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed. The work of the Convention was undertaken and disposed of in an earnest and businesslike spirit. Many who came to the convention had diverse views as to the best methods of carrying on Prohibition work, but the discussion on the various questions which arose brought about a gratifying harmony of sentiment. All were agreed that the motto for the coming year should be "AGGRESSIVE MEASURES." We are unable to give a full report of the proceedings of the Convention on account of the length of our report of the proceedings of the Legislative Assembly, but will give a complete record of the doings of the Convention in our next issue, making it a special convention number, of which we will print extra copies. Friends of the Cause wishing extra copies can obtain the same in return for stamps.

A rousing mass meeting was held in the evening, at which the enthusiasm of the audience was fired by the various speakers.

HELD OVER.

Owing to the demands upon our space by the closing proceedings of the Territorial Assembly we are under the necessity of holding over till next week correspondence from Mr. Charles Newton Smith, of Wolsley, on "Apostolic Succession," and from Mr. Levi Thompson, of Ellsboro, on the Northwest situation.

—The Licensed Victuallers' Association of Ontario, at their recent meeting, said, "The Dominion Government, on the whole, had not been unfavorable to our interests." When you hear a thief praising a lock you may depend on it he has the key.

MUNICIPAL TAXATION.

"A farmer" in another column addresses his confederates in reference to the taxation of this municipality for this year. He objects to the increased rate levied for the school taxes for the Qu'Appelle school. Our correspondent is reminded that the municipal council has no choice in reference to the school tax, except to levy a rate which will raise the amount required by the trustees. Last year the school board asked for \$600. Certain back taxes on non-resident lands had been paid in, and it was expected that the Town Site Trustees would pay in an amount to be agreed upon under negotiations then proceeding. More than \$600 was required for school purposes last year, but not asked for because it was expected that the arrearages above mentioned would make up the difference. This expectation was not realized, however, and to make up the deficiency and raise a sufficient sum for this year, \$1000 was asked for, and the council had no option but to raise the money by a sufficient levy for that purpose. Those dissatisfied with the school tax should attend the annual school meeting to be held on the first Thursday in January, which will be New Year's day.

As to the mill bonds, and the benefits to be derived from mill and elevator, the present council is not responsible beyond seeing that the conditions of the bargain made are carried out. This they are doing, having taken steps with a view of ascertaining what legal action can be taken under the agreement with the McMillans.

As to the "ponds" which our correspondent insinuates were paid for by the municipality, he is reminded that they were wholly built by money from the Northwest Government treasury and town statute labor. It is as well to point out here that not one cent of the general municipal fund has been expended or voted for any purpose whatever in connection with any improvement of any kind either in the town of Qu'Appelle or its immediate vicinity for the current year. But every other ward in the municipality has received a specific grant from the general fund.

Our correspondent objects strongly to the increase in the general tax. It is due to the council for this year to state that when they took office they found an empty treasury with accounts outstanding, and the rate levied by their predecessors did not realize sufficient to pay current expenses. They were under the necessity of borrowing money to pay their way, and they determined, when striking the rate, that they would levy sufficient amounts to pay what they had borrowed and run the municipal machine till next year's taxes would be available, in order to avoid paying interest on borrowed money in future. This they regarded as really a measure of economy, effecting a saving of interest. No doubt the increased taxation falls heavy upon the rate payers, and they may be disposed to argue that it was not really necessary; and that the council of 1891 could also have borrowed money to run the machine. But it is not the

this year's council may be given credit for considerable courage in looking at the question from a straight business standpoint and levying the increased rate.

We are not disposed to be the apologist for the present Council. Our aim in this article is to diffuse information without bias or prejudice. THE PROGRESS regularly publishes the minutes of the council, in order that the ratepayers may know what is being done. Our next issue will contain the minutes of the last meeting of this year's council, which will include the annual reports of expenditure. It will be for the ratepayers to say who will be next year's councillors. Whoever they choose to represent them will find sufficient funds to meet current expenditure, unless they are extravagant, which the present council certainly has not been. All the "personal interest" the councillors have in the expenditures is what they get for attendance at the council meetings. All the law allows is \$12 a year and mileage, which is certainly very poor pay for the time they spend on the municipal business.

The beauty of our representative institutions is that if the electors are not satisfied with the way in which their representatives have discharged their duties they can elect others to replace them. Care should, however, be taken to avoid making changes without due consideration. The present council have done well. Can men be found who will do better?

ADVENT HYMN.

S. JOHN THE BAPTIST.

Awake! awake! why idly doze,
For fast the day of grace is closing
Unconscious to man, while still he dozes,
He trod his weary way unlighted
As yet by Him, whom to proclaim
The Baptist from the desert came.
His voice is heard in the wilderness,
He rapturous had almost run,
When in the Jordan's glowing stream,
On One baptized, who heavenly gleam
Shone in full glory from above,
The light of the moderns' day,
Descending on that form of earth,
To show the Savior's wondrous birth,
While from the Eternal Gates was heard
A Voice, declaring him the Lord.
The Baptist trembling ceased, for he
Beheld the blessed Trinity.

Thus, deeply veiled in ancient lore,
To Christ, the Baptist witness bore,
"He comes to kindle the fire in sheaves,
And purgeth the floor in which He leaves
To go in, in glorifying Him."
A centinel he well he kept,
The marriage halls are open wide,
The bridegroom waits; prepare the bride,
Where are the guests in white arrayed,
For when the banquet has been laid?
Why not to feast him do they move,
In robes of faith, hope, truth and love?
Must the great Master bend to seek
In his ways, for the poor and weak,
To fill his combs; while those first hidden
Disdain the message brought from heaven?

Long prophesied by bands of old,
The glorious tidings John foretold,
Contented to make straight the way,
Yet not to see the marriage day,
Like Moses from Mount Pisgah's height,
He viewed the Promised Land in sight,
But saw the battle scene before,
Which none that knighting hero's core;
"I was to spread the appointed feast,
Not stand aside, below the least,
Nor would I be uncalled appear,
With those who in the desert entered there,
Enough for him to hear the voice
Of Christ the Bridegroom, and rejoice
For them doubts so long he toiled
On One he loved and called his Friend."

C. L. J.

BIG INTEREST.

The biggest interest on any investment is that obtained by having a bottle of B.B.E. The day's work of strength, health and vigor are always realized, and there are no expenses. B.B.E. Blood Purifier, the great blood purifier, costs one dollar a bottle at one cent a dose.

YIELD TIME.

When weakness, loss of appetite, lack of energy and other symptoms of debility appear, it is high time B.B.E. Blood Purifier be taken. It is the only thing that can be taken as a tonic. It is B.B.E. that cures all ailments. It is B.B.E. that cures

Correspondence.

Our columns are open to all for the discussion of public questions. Personalities will not be permitted. We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by correspondents.

Qu'Appelle, Nov. 21, 1890.

To the editor of THE PROGRESS:

SIR.—Allow me to address through your pages the following letter to my brother farmers.

Yours very truly,

A FARMER.

To the farmers of the municipality of South Qu'Appelle:

There is an old saying that it is the last straw that breaks the camel's back. I do not know how your backs feel, but I know that mine feels rather sore with the last tax that has been laid upon it by authority of our worthy municipal council. With long-suffering patience we have hitherto borne the tax of eight mills on the dollar. Four of these are for the building and support of our public school, and I believe we get value for this tax, as we have a large and commodious house and a good teacher. Two mills are for the flour mill and elevator. The mill we have got, but it is now idle, so that many of us have to take our grists to the Fort, while others have to buy imported flour, bran, etc. But the elevator that we were to have such immense benefit from in circulating money, storing grain, etc., has been built at Indian Head instead of here, and we have not and will not get any benefit from it, but we pay the money for it all the same. But what have we got for the third item of two more mills on the dollar? We have got two or three ponds for watering the cattle of the town and the immediate neighborhood, and for supplying ice to the saloons and other places where it is needed, but what benefit do the farmers who reside more than a mile away from the town get from these ponds? None whatever. But we have an assessor, and a collector, and a treasurer, and a legal adviser, and a clerk, and an inspector of nuisances, and—how many more officers? How much of the two mills goes to the drinking ponds? By far the greatest portion must go to pay for running the municipal machine; so that of each dollar of our whole taxes it has taken nearly twenty-five cents to collect and disburse the remaining seventy-five.

But in the opinion of our council we are able to bear more taxation, and so they have raised the school tax from four mills on the dollar to eight. Why? No information, so far as I have learned, is given to such a question. It is rumored that the school inspector has been round, and that he wants something more, what, the general public does not know. In my opinion the inspector may suggest, but as the general public has to pay, it is the general public that has the right to say whether or not the suggestion should be carried out at their expense, and if the council take upon themselves to order the carrying out of such suggestion, which involves so much additional taxation, I think it is time that the general public should teach them better manners.

But even this additional tax does not satisfy our council, even in these days of hard times, when in this our young community it is difficult to procure the necessities of life. As they have imposed a school tax double what it has hitherto been, why should they not double and more than double, the tax for their own immediate expenditure? They have accordingly raised the tax from two mills to five. For what purpose? No one outside of the council seems to know. It is impossible for any one but inside of the ring to guess what is

going to be done. We don't want any more ponds, and out of each dollar of our increased taxes it is rather too much to give thirty-three cents for collecting and disbursing the remaining sixty-seven.

Farmers! Are you going to stand this? Will you submit to have double taxes taken from you without even knowing what for, to say nothing of there not being any necessity? I would say, Resist this increased taxation by all the means in your power, and make sure that your representatives in the council have no personal interest in the taxes more than any one of you. Whatever you do, tending to lighten your taxes, do it quickly, for in a few weeks it will be too late to mend matters.

A FARMER.

THE LOVER'S LAMENT.

Your face is like a drooping flower,
Sweetheart!
I see you fading, hour by hour,
Sweetheart!
Your rounded cheeks waste away,
I want I weep, in vain I pray,
What power health's cruel hand can stay?
Sweetheart, Sweetheart!
Why, nothing but Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It imparts strength to the failing system, cures organic troubles, and for debilitated and feeble women generally, is unequalled. It dispels melancholy and nervousness, and builds up both flesh and strength. Guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or money paid for it refunded.

—The Winnipeg Banner says: "The Province of Manitoba spends about \$600,000 in intoxicating drinks. If the persons spending this money would become total abstainers and donate the money to building houses for free gift, a city of 10,000 of a population could be built in five years, giving a house valued at \$1,250 and lot \$250 to each family of five, or 400 houses each year."

\$5,000 PRIZE COMPETITION.

Third Half-Yearly Canadian Agricultural Word Competition—\$5,000 to be given away.

The third Great Word Competition for the Canadian Agricultural and Home Magazine, Canada's great and popular Home and Farm journal, is now open. The following magnificent prizes will be given for persons sending in the greatest number of words made up out of the letters contained in the two words: "The Agriculturalist." 1st Prize, \$1,000 in Gold; 2nd Prize, \$500 in Gold; 3rd Prize, \$300 in Gold; 4th Prize, \$200 in Gold; 5th Prize, \$100 in Gold; 6th Prize, \$50 in Gold; 7th Prize, \$25 in Gold; 8th Prize, \$10 in Gold; 9th Prize, \$5 in Gold; 10th Prize, \$2 in Gold; 11th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 12th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 13th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 14th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 15th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 16th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 17th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 18th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 19th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 20th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 21st Prize, \$1 in Gold; 22nd Prize, \$1 in Gold; 23rd Prize, \$1 in Gold; 24th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 25th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 26th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 27th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 28th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 29th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 30th Prize, \$1 in Gold; 31st Prize, \$1 in Gold; 32nd Prize, \$1 in Gold; 33rd Prize, \$1 in Gold; 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The Legislature.

Regina, Nov. 24.

The speaker laid on the table opinions of Sir John Thompson unfavorable to portions of the appropriation ordinance and the ordinance respecting justices of peace, a statement of the funds due several districts on aid to districts grant from all sources, and the letter from Stenshorn, immigration agent for Regina, and Second respecting the arrival of certain German families.

Mr. Tweed from the select committee to consider the lieutenant-governor's message presented the report of the committee as follows:

The members of the legislative assembly of the Territories thank Your Honor for Your Honor's message, in which you communicate your views in regard to certain important matters which have been the cause of much discussion recently in the assembly, and as well as the grounds upon which these views are based. Your Honor states that during the latter part of the session of 1889, Your Honor contended "that the act (meaning, we suppose, the Northwest act) gave the advisory council and the lieutenant-governor absolute control over the Territorial revenues," and quoted in support an opinion of the Minister of Justice, in which he says, "but the local revenues of the Territories are necessarily under his (the lieutenant-governor's) control by virtue of the statutory provision which creates his office and invests him with the administration of the government."

Your Honor says that, "whatever view may have been entertained prior to this concession of opinion on the part of the honorable minister as to the true construction of the act in question His Honor is now bound to adopt his interpretation of it."

The assembly feels bound to point out to Your Honor that the words of the Hon. Minister of Justice quoted are contained in an expression of opinion as to the alleged contradiction between a certain ordinance passed by the assembly at its last session, and a certain clause of the Northwest act, and did not relate to or purport to be an expression of opinion regarding the position which Your Honor takes: that control of the territorial revenues rests with Your Honor and such advisors as Your Honor may choose and not with this assembly; and that, therefore, the ruling of the Minister of Justice quoted by Your Honor does not apply to this case.

The assembly feels further bound to inform Your Honor of its belief that the Northwest act calling it into existence and defining its constitution and powers is for the information and guidance of its several members and for that of the house as a whole, as well as for that of Your Honor or the Minister of Justice, and that the members of this assembly are severally responsible to the people of the Northwest Territories for their own interpretation of the act and for the course they take based upon that interpretation; which responsibility they are not relieved from by a mere expression of opinion on the part of any one, or by anything short of a declaration from superior authority. The assembly regrets that Your Honor has not seen fit to point out the section of the act which invests

Your Honor and your advisors with what appears to us to be the very extraordinary and exceptional measure of financial control which Your Honor assumes to possess.

Sub-section 2 of section 4 of the Northwest Territories Act of 1886, which is the act under which the assembly works, reads:—

The lieutenant-governor shall administer the government, under instructions from time to time given him by the governor-in-council, or by the secretary of state for Canada.

By sections 7 and 23 of the Northwest Territories Act, the Northwest council was established to aid the lieutenant-governor in the administration of the Territories, as well as to perform the legislative duties imposed by the act. By section 24 of the same act all the powers vested by the act in the Northwest council are declared to be vested in and exercisable by the legislative assembly.

Section 13 of the same act reads: "The lieutenant governor in council shall have such powers to make ordinances as the governor in council confers upon him."

An order in council of '83 empowers the lieutenant governor in council to raise revenue by certain licences, and another order in council of '86 empowers the lieutenant governor in council to raise revenue by direct taxation. Those orders in council are the authority under which the assembly is now legislating.

Sub-section (c) of section 2 of Northwest Territories act reads:

"The expression 'lieutenant governor in council' means the lieutenant governor of the Territories in council or the lieutenant governor by and with the advice and consent of the legislative assembly of the Territories, as the case may be."

The Assembly is compelled to express its belief that the sections of the act and of the orders in council above quoted must distinctly vest absolute control over the territorial revenues in this Assembly, and not in Your Honor or Your Honor with your advisors, inasmuch as the act expressly states that Your Honor shall govern "by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly," not by and with the advice and consent of your advisory council.

The amendment of 1888 constituting this Assembly, did not alter or repeal any of the above provisions; but added to them the following sections:

"13. The Lieutenant-Governor shall select from among the selected members of the Legislative Assembly four persons to act as an advisory council on matters of finance, who shall severally hold office during pleasure, and the Lieutenant-Governor shall preside at all sittings of such advisory council and have a right to vote as a member thereof and shall also have a vetoing vote in case of a tie."

"The Legislative Assembly shall not adopt or pass any vote, resolution, address or bill for the appropriation of any part of the public revenue, or of any tax or impost, to any purpose that has not been first recommended to the assembly by message of the Lieutenant-Governor in the session in which such vote, resolution, address or bill is prepared."

These provisions were made at the time of the change from the old Northwest Council in which the lieutenant-governor presided and voted, and the present Legislative Assembly from which he sits apart and in which he of course has no vote. They make a distinction in the financial authority respectively possessed by the executive and legislative branches of the government known collectively as the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council hitherto unnecessary, but now necessary—by providing that while the power to initiate financial legislation rests with Your Honor the sole power to pass such legislation rests with the assembly. They further provide, as we understand them, that your initiative shall be on the advice of four members of the assembly, who inasmuch as they are integral parts of the assembly—by and with whose advice and consent Your Honor governs—must be held to represent it and therefore is responsible to it as they cannot be to Your

Honor, whom it is expressly provided shall act on their advice. It therefore appears to this house that Your Honor's contention "that the act gave the advisory council and the lieutenant-governor absolute control of the territorial revenues," is not borne out and indeed that the wording of the act most distinctly contradicts Your Honor's contention. If what appears to us to be so clearly expressed—that the advisory council must be responsible to the assembly—were not intended, we believe that the contrary would have been clearly stated, so that there could not have arisen any misunderstanding on the matter.

What we understand as Your Honor's contention contained in paragraphs 7, 8, 9, and 10 of your message; that because of a divergence of views between yourself and a majority of the assembly on the question of the control of revenues derived from Ottawa you are compelled to govern and administer the revenues of the Territories on the advice of a minority of the house in defiance of the expressed wish of the majority does not appear to us to be borne out by the terms of the act. As we understand the act, it provides that government shall be on the responsibility of the house, which we can only believe means the majority of the house, and that government by the minority against the expressed wish of the majority is in direct violation to the clear intent of the act. As we understand the sections of the act already quoted Your Honor may govern under instructions from Ottawa (in case for any reason you cannot act with the house) or by and with the consent of the legislative assembly; but we can find nothing to show that Your Honor is empowered to govern with advisors responsible only to yourself and independent of both the Ottawa government and this house, and this is the position Your Honor proposes to take.

In the second paragraph of your message Your Honor alludes to "a serious difference of opinion" which "arose during the latter part of the session of 1888." We understand this expression to refer to the occasion of an announcement made by Dr. Brett as leader of your advisory council, that "the council of His Honor's advisers, formed under the law, will exercise the functions of an executive in matters affecting Territorial finances only," to which proposal by Dr. Brett and his colleagues to give up on behalf of the House the right of control over the funds voted by the Parliament of Canada for expenses of government in the Northwest possessed and exercised by us during the previous session, the House strongly objected.

We take the liberty of pointing out to Your Honor that this difference of opinion was not as to the right of your advisory council to control these funds as might be inferred from Your Honor's message, but as to the right of control possessed by the house over them and incidentally over the advisory council as well.

The reasons upon which the house bases the assertion of its right to control the monies voted from year to year by the parliament of Canada for expenses of government in the Northwest, are as follows:

They are in general terms appropriated for the purposes of the local government, which government we understand the Northwest act to declare must be carried on by and with the advice and consent of this assembly.

In particular they are appointed to purposes which are controlled by and dependent upon, the action of this house, that is to say, to give effect to our educational laws; to pay for the printing which our proceedings render necessary; to pay for public improvements upon which we, as representatives of the people, are best fitted to advise; and as a matter of necessity do advise to pay salaries of clerks and officials and to meet the general expenses necessarily incurred in carrying on the territorial government, by and with our advice and consent as the act provides.

If there is a doubt as to the availability of funds for any desired purpose of legislation, that legislation

is likely to remain unenacted, to the public inconvenience and loss and if there is a hope of financial aid which is not realized when desired legislation is enacted loss and inconvenience to the public again results, as well as discredit to this assembly, and its several members. It therefore appears to us that if our legislation is to be of full benefit to the people of the Territories we must be made aware from year to year of the amount of funds which can be depended upon to give effect to that legislation, as we can only properly become aware by the exercise of concurrent, if not absolute, control.

The assembly further claims the right to the control of the funds on the grounds that they must be considered as one of the same nature as the subsidies received from the federal treasury by the several provinces—that is a return, for the support of local government, on taxes paid by the people to the federal treasury—and therefore quite as much the property of the people of the Northwest and quite as properly at the sole disposal of the local government as that part of the local revenue derived from the people by means of enactment of this assembly.

We desire to point out the fact of the funds not being raised under the authority of the Northwest government does not prevent them from properly being placed under the control of Your Honor by and with the advice and consent of this assembly. For the revenues derived from the issue of liquor permits and beer licenses under authority of Your Honor as administrator of the Northwest government under instructions from Ottawa—which permits and licenses are in no way under the control of this assembly or issued on its responsibility—art still held to be subject to account to, appropriation by this house.

To sum up: The assembly bases its claim to control (1) on the intent expressed in plain terms by the title of the vote in parliament. 2. On the necessities of the case as it affects the people of these territories through the legislation of this assembly. 3. On the absolute right of the people of the northwest—according to the scheme of confederation—to the full control of their own funds.

The assembly must point out that at its first session Your Honor used such expressions and took such action as led us to believe that your views of that date fully agreed with those we now hold on this question. In Your Honor's speech at the opening of the first session on Oct. 31st, 1888, you were graciously pleased to say:

"It affords me much pleasure in opening the first session of the Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories to be able to congratulate you upon the general prosperity of the country and the completeness of its representation in our Legislature, which I regard as the preceding step to provincial organization. In the progressive evolution of our present constitution towards thoroughly representative Government you will find that I am in full accord with your legitimate aspirations."

The proof as to what Your Honor at that time considered our legitimate aspirations, on December 11th of 1888, the leader of your then Advisory Council, selected at the beginning of the session, introduced the following ordinance:

The ordinance for granting Her Majesty certain sums of money to defray the expenses of the public service of the Territories for the financial year ending 30th June, 1889, and for other purposes relating thereto.

ASSENTED TO DEC. 11th, 1888.
Most Gracious Sovereign:

Whereas it appears by message from His Honor Joseph Royal, the Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories, and the estimates accompanying the same, that the sums hereinafter mentioned in the schedule to this ordinance are required to defray certain expenses of the public service of the territories and for other purposes relating thereto for the financial year ending 30th June, 1889. May it therefore please

Your Majesty that it may be enacted, and it is hereby enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the territories, as follows:

(1) From and out of the fund as the disposal of the Northwest Government there shall and may be paid and applied a sum (not exceeding in the whole) one hundred and fifty thousand, four hundred and eighty-four dollars and ninety cents, for defraying the several changes and expenses of the public service of the territories for the financial year ending 30th June, one thousand, eight hundred and eighty-nine, as set forth in the schedule to this ordinance.

(2) The due application of all moneys expended under this ordinance shall be accounted for to Her Majesty.

In the journals of the house of the same date appears the following:

"The royal assent to this bill (No. 8 of 1888) was announced by the clerk of the legislative assembly in the following words: His Honor the lieutenant-governor, doth thank Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this bill in Her Majesty's name."

It may be mentioned that the sums provided in the above mentioned ordinance included funds derived from territorial, administrative and federal sources, but only included that portion of such sums not expended under authority of Your Honor while acting as administrator of the Northwest government, before the assembly had been called to your assistance, thereby making clear that while the assembly assumed full responsibility—with Your Honor's formal and full consent—for all funds on hand at the time, it assumed, and was accorded, no responsibility regarding funds which were not to be administered by and with its advice and consent.

The assembly was not made aware of any change in Your Honor's views on this question until Nov. 5th, 1888, above alluded to. On that occasion Your Honor did not address the assembly directly nor cite your authority for the very important change in the method of control of these funds which you had evidently then determined to bring about.

The assembly very deeply regrets the necessity of the several steps which it has since been compelled to take to assert that measure of control which it was once accorded and is now deprived of in regard to this important part of the functions of government—the control of the far larger proportion of the funds—and also very deeply regrets that Your Honor did not see fit until the date of your message to communicate directly with the house on the subject.

It still more deeply regrets that, having received your gracious message, it cannot find therein any definite statement of Your Honor's authority for interposing your power as administrator of the Northwest government between the people of these Territories and what appears not to be a proper control by them of the moneys appropriated by the Parliament of Canada for the purpose of their local government, which control, as stated by the Minister of Justice, in the passage from his opinion quoted in your message, is not necessarily vested in Your Honor; and which, as we read the passage indicated, may be intended in the matters of finance upon which your advisory council, as provided by statute, shall advise Your Honor.

Until such statement of authority is laid before the house we are compelled to interpret the law, both statutory and constitutional, for ourselves, and to assert by every legitimate means our right to that measure of control of the public funds of these Territories which was exercised by us at the first session of this assembly, and of which we are now deprived by the action of Your Honor in ignoring the majority of this house without—so far as we are yet aware—any change in the law on the subject having been made.

The assembly beg to thank Your Honor for the definite statement

contained in the eleventh paragraph of your message, that "His Excellency the Governor-in-council has for many years past assumed without question the direct control of the monies annually voted by the Parliament of Canada for school purposes in the Territories." This announcement distinctly relieves the house from any responsibility regarding school funds.

The assembly is also glad to be informed that "by order-in-council of the 18th July, 1899, they (the school funds) were directed to be expended in accordance with the revised ordinance;" and also that Your Honor has reason to believe that a deficiency in the grant under the ordinance will not occur.

This information relieves the assembly from the necessity of taking any measures at the present time in regard to the sections of the ordinances providing for aid to schools.

But in view of future possible contingencies the assembly feels compelled to point out the absolute necessity of the prospects of aid to schools held out by the ordinance being fulfilled to the letter; that to introduce the element of uncertainty as to the payment of grants would be to imperil the educational interests of the Territories, where, above all countries in the world, these interests are held to be of highest importance.

In this matter, above all others, it appears to us that the powers of legislation and of financial control should go together, and should either rest here or at Ottawa, whichever the power holding the financial control—that is the Parliament of Canada—may please to decide.

After a lengthened debate the foregoing was adopted on the usual division.

On Friday the House refused to go into committee of supply on the following division:

Yeas, Brett, Richardson, Betts, Secord, Reaman, Hovey, 6. Nays, Plaxton, Thorburn, Neff, Sutherland, Tweed, Cayley, Lineham, Davidson, Haultain, Oliver, Kelly, Turfitt, Ross, Clinkskill and Mitchell, 15.

Mr. Cayley moved, seconded by Mr. Haultain, the following memorial to Ottawa: "That this assembly did at its last session present an humble memorial to His Excellency the Governor General-in-Council and to the honorable the Minister of the Interior, making certain representations in regard to many matters of interest to these Territories, including, amongst others, representations in regard to the present form of local government of the Territories, sections 16 and 110 of the Northwest Territories Act; the magisterial functions of police officers and the bill to amend the Northwest Act, introduced in the previous session of parliament. That no action with reference to many of these matters has been taken by His Excellency's government. That the assembly humbly reiterates its representations then made. That the legislative assembly humbly prays that action be taken thereon."

The motion was carried without division.

On Saturday the House was prorogued and the several bills passed by the Assembly assented to.

His Honor then read the following speech in English only, and the clerk declared the house prorogued: "At the close of the present session which terminates the sessions of the first legislative assembly of the Northwest Territories, I have pleasure in relieving you from further attendance to your legislative duties, and I congratulate you upon the practical character of the legislation to which I have just given assent in the name of Her Majesty."

I must, but regret the unfortunate difference of opinion which has arisen respecting the interpretation to be placed upon the portion of our constitution which relates to the powers of the advisory council, and I desire to again convey to you the assurance that while I cannot, for reasons already communicated to you, accede to your claim to control the expenditure of the monies voted by the parliament of Canada for the government of the Northwest Territories, I have always been thoroughly in accord with you in your contention that you are entitled to control, through the advisory

council possessing your confidence, the expenditure of the territorial revenues.

I also regret that owing to a majority of you withholding your confidence from any council which does not claim for you the control of the Dominion funds, I have had to retain the services of a council whose views upon this question are not those of the majority. It is only just that I should here pay to the members of the advisory council a tribute of acknowledgment for the constant and patriotic attention given by them to the various details of the territorial administration under their control.

I earnestly hope that the circumstances which have tended to make this session a memorable one, may result favorably for the peace and prosperity of the Northwest Territories."

MOFFAT.

—An entertainment in connection with the Sabbath School will be given in the church here on Tuesday evening, the 23rd December. Tea will be served, after which an excellent program, consisting of literary and musical selections will be rendered by the children of the school and the church choir. The proceeds are to be devoted to a library for the school. Admission, adults, 25 cents; children under 14 years free. The arrangements are in the hands of an energetic committee, who are sparing no pains to make the evening a pleasant one.

GRENFELL.

—The standing of the pupils of Grenfell school during the month of November:

THIRD CLASS.—Laura Hood, Jas. Christie, Roderick Christie, Walter Greenlees.

SENIOR SECOND.—Dot Hood, Hardy Hood.

JUNIOR SECOND.—Charlie Weldon, Clara Richardson, John Christie, Louis Hood, Olive Chrysler.

PART II.—Sadie Coy, Ethel Coy.

—Sir Leonard Tilley has passed his three score and ten. His 72nd birthday occurred last month.

—Gladstone, Man., has not licensed drink, but the people proposed to strengthen their position, by voting a local option.

—Serrle Pearson, a young Frenchman from St. Anne, 60 miles southeast of Winnipeg, was murdered in a drunken row at the Hotel Mandor, St. Boniface, by one Honnard, a farmer from St. Norbert.

—There was a total of 86 cases disposed of at the Winnipeg city police court during the month of August. Over three-fourths of the whole number traceable to whiskey and two-thirds of the whole number were drunks.

—Asa Beach, License Inspector, for Dundas Co. Ont., says:—"There are at least ten gallons of liquor drunk now under license to one gallon when under the Scott Act; also that ten drunken men are seen now to one then."

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Readings of the thermometer for the week ending Wednesday, December 3, 1890.	
	Maximum. Minimum.
Thursday, Nov. 27.....	39 20
Friday, Nov. 28.....	44 21
Saturday, Nov. 29.....	34 20
Sunday, Nov. 30.....	23 13
Monday, Dec. 1.....	14 0
Tuesday, Dec. 2.....	16 4
Wednesday, Dec. 3.....	46 24

WIND VELOCITY AND DIRECTION.	
	G.M. 1 p.m. 6 p.m.
Thursday, Nov. 27.....	sw 10 sw 12 w 16
Friday, Nov. 28.....	sw 12 sw 14 sw 8
Saturday, Nov. 29.....	sw 20 sw 8 e 2
Sunday, Nov. 30.....	e 7 e 13 sw 2
Monday, Dec. 1.....	e 2 e 4 calm
Tuesday, Dec. 2.....	e 10 w 18 sw 22
Wednesday, Dec. 3.....	sw 8 w 6 calm

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FRIDAY, NOV. 28, 1890.

Home & Gossip.

Little Local Links in the Town's Chain of History.

QU'APPELLE.

—Mr. Sam. Teese talks of visit-
ing Ould Ireland.

—Mr. Wm. Smith has moved
his law office to one door north of
the Queen's hotel.

—Mr. G. S. Davidson, M. L. A.,
has returned from the capital, hav-
ing concluded his legislative labors.

—His Lordship the Bishop of
Qu'Appelle delivered a lecture in
government hall last evening on the
subject "What do we mean by
Apostolic Succession." There was
a large attendance.

—The annual meeting of the
Upper Canada Bible Society was
held last evening in the Presbyteri-
an church. The agent of the Soci-
ety, Rev. J. M. Harrison, of Regina,
addressed the meeting.

—Winter has come. We have
had beautiful Indian summer weath-
er during the whole of last month.
Two days before the Indian summer
THE PROGRESS said we might
expect three weeks of it. Then
some laughed, but the laugh is with
us.

—The C. P. R. excursions to the
East are still being well patronized,
and it is expected that until the
close of the excursion season there
will be quite a rush of excursionists.
The low rates the C.P.R. have made,
and the excellent accommodation they
provide, with specially fitted sleep-
ing cars, etc., are strong induc-
ements to old Ontarioites to take a
trip east.

—A convention is to be held at
Indian Head on Thursday next,
the 11th inst., to nominate a can-
didate for the representation of
South Qu'Appelle in the Northwest
Legislative Assembly. The basis
of representation at the convention
is two delegates for each councillor
in the two municipalities, twenty-
eight in all. It is hoped that each
ward will be fully represented.

—On Sunday first a mass meet-
ing is to be held in the Presbyterian
church at 11 o'clock to receive re-
ports from the delegates who at-
tended the Sunday School Con-
vention last week at Regina. Three
denominations in Qu'Appelle were
represented. All delegates are ex-
pected to give reports on Sunday
afternoon. Hymns from "Gospel
Hymns" will be sung. All are wel-
come.

—At the hotels: L. C. Macin-
tyre, W. W. Armstrong, E. H. Ma-
hony, L. Lalonde, J. J. Phelps, D.
W. Bole, T. Blackwood, Winnipeg;
A. Lewis, Lestowel; B. Williams,
Reg. J. M. Harrison, P. Houry, W.
Campbell, Regina; J. B. Hawkes,
McLean; J. B. Kennedy, New
Westminster, B.C.; J. Nixon, Fort
Qu'Appelle; C. Burley, Portage la
Prairie; J. Boyd, B. Scott, Indian
Head; T. McKenzie, A. Gray, Cal-
gary; J. Caldwell, G. W. Elliot,
Dawson; R. Fowler, Balgonie; C.
McDonald, Crooked Lake; M. S.
Craig, Ebbesley; C. Craig, Spring
Branch; J. B. Holman, Montreal;
W. G. Street, Rat Portage.

—White Leghorn fowl for sale;
apply at THE PROGRESS office.

—The Presbytery of Regina will
meet at Wesleyan on Wednesday,
the 10th inst., at 10 o'clock, for or-
dinary business. Elders who pur-
pose being present are requested to
communicate with the clerk at once.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVEN- TION.

On Wednesday and Thursday of
last week the first Sunday School
convention held by the Assiniboia
Sunday School Association took
place at Regina. A district conven-
tion was held last year under the
auspices of the Manitoba S. S. Assn.,
but the Assiniboia Association was
organized for this year with separate
jurisdiction. Representatives were
present from Moosomin on the east,
Maple Creek in the west, Prince-
Albert on the North and intermedi-
ate points.

The following were present from
Qu'Appelle: Rev. Mr. Ferry, H.
Ames, J. R. Glover, Miss M. Glover,
Miss M. Trewhartha, Miss E. J.
Gray, Miss M. McFarlane, and A.
Hollingshead.

There were three sessions each
day, and every session was full of
life and enthusiasm. Many present
who had attended Sunday School
conventions in different parts of the
world declared that this eclipsed
them all.

GUN AND KENNEL CLUB.

Public sentiment is much health-
ier in tone and spirit in reference
to the protection of game during
the past few years. The necessity
of putting guards against the wanton
and wholesale slaughter of birds
and animals, out of season, is ap-
parent to the most stupid as well as
to the most selfish. It is a matter
of great importance to everyone who
alides by the law, but yet all true
sportsman and admirers of fair play
alike to man and beast, to assist in
the preservation of our game, or we
will soon be like Manitoba and have
no game to protect.

We notice with pleasure the for-
mation of a "Gun and Kennel Club"
in this District who held their in-
augural meeting in the board of trade
rooms on Wednesday evening last,
Mr. Hartley Gishorne in the chair.
After a few remarks from those pre-
sent, explaining the objects of the
meeting, the following gentlemen
were elected:

Mr. A. Webster, President.
Corpl. Pughes, Ist Vice President.
G. S. Davidson, M. L. A., 2nd
Vice President.

H. McIntosh, Sec. Treas.
Messrs J. P. Beauchamp, A. C.
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west Territories, Chief Factor in the service
of the Hudson Bay Company, deceased, who
died on or about the Fifteenth day of July,
A. D. 1890, and whose will was approved by
George William Simpson, of the City of Mon-
treal, in the Province of Quebec, Esquire, in
the Superior Court of the Northwest Terri-
tories, District of Western Assiniboia, on the
Twenty-fifth day of October, A. D. 1890, are
hereby required to send in particulars of
their claims and demands to the said George
William Simpson, or to his undersigned
his Solicitors, on or before the Third day of
January, A. D. 1891, with declarations at-
tached to such claims or demands, proving
the same. And notice is also hereby given
that after the said day the said Executor
will proceed to distribute the assets of the
said Adam McBeath to the parties entitled
therein, having regard only to the claims
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